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The University of Maine's annual Family & Friend's Weekend attracts upwards of 10,000 visitors to campus each September.

Photo by Monty Rand

Committee to Gather Community Input Regarding UMaine Vision Statement

The process of refining the vision document issued by President Hutchinson last May has formally begun with the appointment of a committee to promote campuswide discussion with the goal of developing a shared vision, to be used for planning and reallocation purposes over the next several years.

Kristina Passman, interim director of the Honors Program and associate professor of classical languages and literature, will chair the 15-member committee. In a letter to the committee members, Hutchinson described the group's job as working "to develop mechanisms for acquiring community input about the vision statement I prepared."

In *Maintaining and Enhancing a Complete Learning Community: A Vision for the University of Maine*, Hutchinson called this process "the second stage of refining and reorienting the University of Maine." A shared vision, he wrote, is needed to provide direction for achieving the goals it defines, "including the reallocation of resources to maintain and enhance the quality of programs and services."

The President has asked the committee to design a timetable that will enable the first forums to be held this month, with the discussions to be completed by the end of the fall semester. The committee is also expected to develop and recommend a process "for engaging all units and individuals within the University

community in a discussion of how the shared vision might be implemented." In keeping with the President's plans, those discussions are expected to take place during the spring semester.

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Class Book Promises to Spark Lively Debate

The newest of the University of Maine class books – *The Disuniting of America: Reflections on a Multicultural Society* – could be the catalyst for some lively debate on campus in the coming year. That potential to spark dialogue was one of the foremost reasons the timely yet controversial national bestseller was chosen from among 20 nominations for this year's class book.

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As a service to the University community, costs of producing Maine Perspective are underwritten by University Printing Services.

Multimedia Software Aids Maine's HIV Testing Centers

State-of-the-art multimedia software developed by healthcare experts at the University of Maine and used by counselors in Maine's HIV testing centers was showcased last month at a meeting of the Centers for Disease Control's Division of the STD/HIV Prevention.

The CDC manages over 300 contracts, grants, and cooperative agreements with a variety of private and public agencies. This meeting in Washington, D.C., was designed to bring the grantee organizations' administrators and managers together to compare notes, showcase their work, and learn about the emerging strategic plan of the CDC.

Representing the University of Maine at the grantee meeting were Dr. Mark Jackson, Sally McKinnon and Karen Hall. Together they showcased the results of the first year's work on the Computer Assisted Testing and Counseling Initiative (CACTI) for HIV counselors. The grant is a joint project with the State of Maine STD/HIV testing program sites in Bangor, Lewiston and Portland.

Designed to assist HIV counselors with systematic evaluation of client needs, the software program does more than provide basic date collection chores. The client is asked a series of questions that help disclose behaviors that have been associated with increased risk for HIV infection. As the person answers questions, he/she can access a variety of educational materials such as video clips, pictures, sound files and simple animation with the touch of the monitor screen. If a client understands English but has a low reading level, the questions can be read to the client by synthesized voice. The text of the questions can be presented in a variety of languages and literacy levels.

Questions also are designed to be specific to a person's ethnic background and sexual partner preference. For example: Men who exclusively have sex with other men would not receive any questions that reference issues about women. *continued on page 15*

Look Who's On Campus

M. Brett Callaway, a plant breeder at Pioneer Hi-Bred International, will speak Sept. 27 and Sept. 28 respectively on: "Crop Improvement for Sustainable Agriculture," and "Sustainable Agriculture and the Plant Breeder: Out of the Pulpit and Into the Corn Field." Once a Peace Corps volunteer in Costa Rica, Callaway has researched tropical germplasm at North Carolina State University and worked to develop pawpaw as a new crop at the University of Kentucky. He has published in the areas of ecology, plant pathology, plant breeding and sustainable agriculture, and has co-edited a book: *Crop Improvement for Sustainable Agriculture*.

Katie Koestner of Williamsburg, Va., a date rape victim who received national media coverage after speaking out about her experience and calling for tougher institutional policies on acquaintance rape, will give the keynote address Sept. 28 for Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week. Koestner was a first-year student at the College of William and Mary when the assault took place. Determined that her victimization – and that of other women – would not remain “a crime of silence,” she took her cause to the media, and testified before Congress in support of passage of the Sexual Assault Victim’s Bill of Rights. She graduated from William and Mary this spring.



Sally McKinnon, Dr. Mark Jackson and Karen Hall are the developers of the Computer Assisted Testing and Counseling Initiative (CACTI) for HIV counselors. Photo by Damon Kiesow

Annual Economic Forum to Discuss State Policy

For the 21st consecutive year, the University of Maine is preparing to host the Governor's Economic Development Conference — a daylong gathering of state leaders in education, business and government. This year's conference is set for Tuesday, Oct. 4.

The theme this year is: "In Search of Consensus: Economic Policy in Maine." The speakers and concurrent sessions will examine ways in which Maine can effectively plan for its economic future.

Publishing magnate Malcolm Forbes Jr. will deliver the keynote address at this year's conference.

Forbes is president and chief executive officer of Forbes Inc., and editor-in-chief of *Forbes Magazine*. He is also a respected economic forecaster, and is the unprecedented four-time recipient of the USX Corporation's Crystal Owl Award, given for accurate economic predictions.

The forum will also feature Gov. John McKernan's eighth presentation to the conference.

The gathering provides a chance for business leaders, public officials and policy researchers to discuss the long-term growth of the state, according to conference Steering Committee Chair Steven Ballard, the director of UMaine's Margaret Chase Smith Center for Public Policy.

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U Maine Calendar

SEPT. 19–OCT. 1

All events are free and open to the public unless otherwise specified. Any speaker not otherwise identified is a member of the University of Maine faculty, staff or student body. Send notices of upcoming campus events to: *Maine Perspective* Calendar, Public Affairs. Calendar of events listings MUST be type-written and should be sent AT LEAST TWO WEEKS in advance. Deadline for each issue: 9 a.m. Friday. For more information, call x3745.

19 Monday

Do-It-Yourself Database Searching Workshop for science and engineering faculty, staff and students, 10-11 a.m., Sept. 19, Science & Engineering Center, Fogler Library. Registration. x1678.

"Peacemaking Within: Exploring Inner Conflict and Its Resolution," by Joan Marks of Orono, counselor, part of the Peace Studies Lecture Series: Conflict Resolution: From Personal to Global series, 12:15-1:30 p.m., Sept. 19, Bangor Lounge, Union. x2609.

Deadline for Dropping Course(s) with a refund, 4:30 p.m., Sept. 19.

20 Tuesday

Introduction to Word, a CIT workshop (novice level), 10 a.m.-noon, Sept. 20, 111 Corbett Business Building. Advance registration, fee. x1638.

"From Technocratic to Holistic: Midwifery as a Catalyst for Change," by midwife Barbara Deluca, part of the Women in the Curriculum Lunch Series, 12:15-1:30 p.m., Sept. 20, Bangor Lounge, Union. x1228.

Word – Headers & Footers, a CIT workshop (novice level), 2-4 p.m., Sept. 20, Lengyel Hall. Advance registration, fee. x1638.

"The Mind Body Connection," part of the NTS Topics Series, 3:15 p.m., Sept. 20, Commuter Lounge, Union.

SYSTAT for Windows, a CAPS seminar, 3:30-5:30 p.m., Sept. 20, 115 Corbett Business Building. x3518.

Senior Job Placement Night for the College of Business Administration, offered by the Career Center, 6 p.m., Sept. 20, 115 Corbett Business Building. x1359.

"4 Golden Rules of Investing," an information reception by Brian Bernatchez, vice president, financial services, Firstmark Corp., 6-8 p.m., Sept. 20, Black Bear Inn. Preregistration. 800-274-3476.

Coffeehouse with Frankie Manzi, 8 p.m., Sept. 20, Peabody Lounge, Union. x1734.

21 Wednesday

"Healthcare Reform vs. Healthcare Finance Reform," by David Wihry, part of Healthspeak '94, 12:20-1:30 p.m., Sept. 21, Bangor Lounges, Union. x4194.

Retirement Reception for Douglas Hall, professor of German, 3-4:30 p.m., Sept. 21, Peabody Lounge, Union. x2073.

Memorial Service for Professor Edward Schriver, 3:30 p.m., Sept. 21, Newman Center.

Women's Resource Center and Student Women's Center Open House, 4-7 p.m., Sept. 21, 101 Fernald Hall. x1508.

Senior Job Placement Night for the Colleges of Arts & Humanities and Social & Behavioral Sciences, offered by the Career Center, 6 p.m., Sept. 21, 107 Corbett Business Building. x1359.

Movie: School Daze, 7:30 p.m., Sept. 21, 101 Neville Hall. Admission fee. x1734.

22 Thursday

"A History of American Political Movements Through Songs," by musical storyteller and political satirist Charlie King, part of the Socialist & Marxist Studies Luncheon Series, 12:20 p.m., Sept. 22, Bangor Lounge, Union. x3860.

New Employee Orientation Open House, offered by Human Resources, 12:30-2:30 p.m., Sept. 22, Bodwell Area, Maine Center for the Arts. x1579.

"Darwin, the Personality," an Honors lecture by Doug Gelinas, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 22, 100 Neville Hall.

Senior Job Placement Night for the College of Natural Resources, Forestry and Agriculture, offered by the Career Center, 6 p.m., Sept. 22, 107 Corbett Business Building. x1359.

Little Buddha, part of the Not at the Mall film series, 6:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., Sept. 22, Hauck Auditorium. Admission fee. x1734.

Performance by the Chinese Youth Goodwill Mission, part of the Maine Center for the Arts performance season, 7 p.m., Sept. 22, Hutchins Concert Hall. Admission fee. x1755.

Concert by singer/songwriter Charlie King, offered by Off-Campus Board and MPAC, 8 p.m., Sept. 22, Damn Yankee. x3860.

Thursday Night at the Bear's Den, 9 p.m., Sept. 22, Union. x1734.

23 Friday

Men's Soccer: Maine vs. Delaware, 3 p.m., Sept. 23. xBEAR.

"Misconceptions in Astronomy and Their Origins," by Neil Comins, part of the Department of Physics & Astronomy Colloquium Series, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 23, 140 Bennett Hall. x1039.

"The Biological Evidence for the Colonization of North America," by Gentry Steele, part of the First Americans: Peopling of the New World lecture series, 3:30 p.m., Sept. 23, Bodwell Area. x1894.

Joint Reception for Museum of Art exhibits: Robert Shetterly Paintings: Proverbs of Hell, and Alan Magee: Recent Work, 5-7 p.m., Sept. 23, Carnegie Hall. x3255.

Movie: Reality Bites, 6:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., Sept. 23, Hauck Auditorium. Admission fee. x1734.

24 Saturday

"Art from the American West," a Hudson Museum Teacher Workshop by Elizabeth Hoffman, 9 a.m.-noon, Sept. 24, Maine Center for the Arts. Registration fee. x1901.

Community Picnic, 11:30-2 p.m., Sept. 24, Webster Park, Orono. x1734.

25 Sunday

Men's Soccer: Maine vs. Drexel, 1 p.m., Sept. 25. xBEAR.

26 Monday

Blood Drive, Sept. 26, Lown Rooms, Union. x1734.

Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week Dedication on the Mall, noon, Sept. 26, Library Steps. x4104.

"Seabird Restoration and Conservation on the Maine Coast," by Stephen Kress, National Audubon Society, part of the Wildlife Seminar Series, noon, Sept. 26, 204 Nutting Hall. x2862.

"Perceived & Actual Similarity in Peer Conflict: What Makes You Think You Understand Your Partner?" by Renate Klein, part of the Peace Studies Lecture Series: Conflict Resolution: From Personal to Global series, 12:15 p.m., Sept. 26, Bangor Lounge, Union. x2609.

"Pollution Prevention and the Engineer," by Scott Semie, American Tool Co., Gorham, part of the Environmental Management Seminar Series, 4:10 p.m., Sept. 26, 100 Jenness Hall. x2301.

Dreamworlds, video followed by panel discussion with experts from the Women's Resource Center and the Departments of Communications and Psychology, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 7 p.m., Sept. 26, 100 Corbett Business Building. x4104.

Ongoing Events

Academic Activities/Events

College Fair, Sept. 26-27, Field House.

Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, Sept. 26-30. x4104.

Senior Job Placement Nights for Nontraditional and Commuter Students, offered by the Career Center, noon-1 p.m., Sept. 28 and Sept. 29, FFA Room, Union. x1359.

Homecoming Weekend, Sept. 30-Oct. 2.

University of Maine Fire Prevention Week, Oct. 3-7. x4194.

Athletic Events/Recreation

Ice Skating, Alford Sports Arena, noon-1 p.m., Monday-Friday; 2-3:30 p.m., Saturday-Sunday. Admission fee/skate rentals available. Stick & Puck, 1:10-2:10 p.m., Monday-Friday. Admission fee. x1082.

Latti Fitness Center, 6:15-10 p.m., Monday and Wednesday; 7 a.m.-10 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday; 6:15 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday; 10 a.m.-7 p.m., Saturday; 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Sunday. Admission fee. x1082.

Swimming, Wallace Pool, 6:45-8 a.m., Monday, Wednesday, Friday; 11:45 a.m.-1 p.m., Monday-Friday; 6-7 p.m., Monday-Friday (children allowed); 9-10 p.m., Sunday-Thursday (students only); 10:30 a.m.-noon, and 2:30-5 p.m., Saturday (children allowed); 2:30-5 p.m., Sunday (children allowed). Admission fee/rec pass. x1082.

Conferences/Seminars/Workshops

Resume Writing Basics, a Job Search Workshop offered by the Career Center, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 19 and Sept. 20; 2:10 p.m., Sept. 21 and Sept. 27; noon, Sept. 30, Chadbourne Hall. x1359.

Finding Co-op & Internship Positions, a Job Search Workshop offered by the Career Center, 2:10 p.m., Sept. 19 and Oct. 20; 3:10 p.m., Nov. 30, Chadbourne Hall. x1359.

Cover Letters, a Job Search Workshop offered by the Career Center, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 21 and Sept. 27, Chadbourne Hall. x1359.

Interviewing Techniques, a Job Search Workshop offered by the Career Center, 2:10 p.m., Sept. 22 and Sept. 26; 3:10 p.m., Sept. 23 and Sept. 29, Chadbourne Hall. x1359.

Entertainment

The Day the Earth Stood Still, part of the Roll It Again Cinema series, noon, Sept. 19; 3 p.m., Sept. 20, Totman Lounge, Union. x1820.

Raising Arizona, part of the Roll It Again Cinema series, noon, Oct. 3; 3 p.m., Oct. 4, Totman Lounge, Union. x1820.

Poetry Free Zone, a weekly series of poetry readings and discussion, every Wednesday beginning Sept. 28, noon, Thomson Honors Center. x3264.

TGIF Music, every Friday, 12:10 p.m., Bangor Lounge, Union. x1734.

Exhibits/Demonstrations/Tours

Our Roads Converged, a Museum of Art exhibit, through Oct. 23, Hauck Auditorium Gallery, Union. x3255.

David Wilson: Small Offerings, a Museum of Art exhibit, through Nov. 5, Hole in the Wall Gallery, Union. x3255.

Robert Shetterly Paintings: Proverbs of Hell, a Museum of Art exhibit, through Nov. 4, 1938 Gallery, Carnegie Hall. x3255.

Alan Magee: Recent Work, a Museum of Art exhibit, Sept. 23-Nov. 4, 1938 Gallery, Carnegie Hall. x3255.

Living History Days, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Oct. 1-2, Maine Forest and Logging Museum's Leonard's Mills, Bradley. Admission fee. x2871.

The Art of Design, produced by Department of Public Affairs graphic artists, part of Arts & Humanities Month, Oct. 1-31, Public Affairs Building.

MPAC 1974-1994, an exhibit as part of Maine Peace Action Committee's 20th Anniversary Celebration, Oct. 1-31, Fogler Library. x3860.

Riders of the Asian Steppes: Saddlery from the Nicolas M. Salgo Collection, a Hudson Museum exhibit, through Oct. 2, Maine Center for the Arts. x1901.

The Children of Fulton Street, a Museum of Art exhibit, through Oct. 10, Graphics Gallery, Union. x3255.

Page Farm and Home Museum open daily, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 581-4100.

Hudson Museum open Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. x1901.

Athletic Mementos and Memorabilia Past and Present, an M Club-sponsored exhibit, Memorial Gym Lobby.

Lyle E. Littlefield Trial Ornamental Garden, display of more than 2,000 varieties of landscape plants, Rangeley Road.

Meetings of Groups/Organizations

Foreign Language Tables: Monday - French; Tuesday - Russian; Wednesday - German; Thursday - Spanish; all noon-1 p.m., 207 Little Hall. x2073.

Maine Peace Action Committee meets every Tuesday, 4 p.m., Virtue Room, Maples. x3860.

NTS Coffee Hour every Thursday, 3:15 p.m., Commuter Lounge, Union. x1734.

International Students' Coffee Hour every Friday, 4 p.m., Damn Yankee. x2905.

Religious Worship

Newman Center/Our Lady of Wisdom Parish Weekly Liturgy: Sunday, 9:30 a.m. and 6:15 p.m., Newman Center, 11:15 p.m., Bangor Lounge, Union; Monday-Thursday, 4:45 p.m., Newman Center. Confessions every Sunday, 5:30 p.m., Newman Center. 866-2155.

Worship and Celebration at the Wilson Center, followed by a light supper of soup and bread, every Sunday, 5 p.m., 67 College Ave. 866-4227.

Hindu Prayer Meeting every Sunday, 10:30 a.m. 866-3606 or 866-0304.

Ecumenical Bible Study, offered by Orono Campus Ministries, every Wednesday, 12:15-1 p.m., Davis Room, Union. 866-4227.

"A Taste of Home," home-cooked meal prepared by local church members, Wilson Center, every Thursday, 5:30 p.m., 67 College Ave. \$2 donation. 866-4227.

Muslim Prayer every Friday, noon-2 p.m., Drummond Chapel. x2790.

Miscellaneous

Memorial Union Branch of the Credit Union open 9 a.m.-1 p.m., every Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

Orono Farmer's Market every Saturday during the academic year, 7 a.m.-5 p.m., Steam Plant parking lot. 866-4784.

27 Tuesday

Introduction to WordPerfect, a CIT workshop (novice level), 10 a.m.-noon, Sept. 27, 111 Corbett Business Building. Advance registration, fee. x1638.

"Common Sense Personal Safety," by Deb Mitchell, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week and the Women in the Curriculum Lunch Series, 12:15 p.m., Sept. 27, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

Do-it-Yourself Database Searching Workshop for science and engineering faculty, staff and students, 2-3 p.m., Sept. 27, Science & Engineering Center, Fogler Library. Registration. x1678.

Introduction to Excel, a CIT workshop (novice level), 2-4 p.m., Sept. 27, Lengl Hall. Advance registration, fee. x1638.

Women's Soccer: Maine vs. New Hampshire, 3 p.m., Sept. 27. xBEAR.

"Crop Improvement for Sustainable Agriculture," by M. Brett Callaway, plant breeder, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, offered by the Sustainable Agriculture Program, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 27, 100 Nutting Hall. x2972.

"Bridge Over Troubled Waters: Making the Transition to Life as a Student," part of the NTS Topics series, 3:15 p.m., Sept. 27, Totman Lounge, Union. x1734.

28 Wednesday

"Sustainable Agriculture and the Plant Breeder: Out of the Pulpit and Into the Corn Field," by M. Brett Callaway, plant breeder, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, offered by the Sustainable Agriculture Program, 10 a.m., Sept. 28, 311 Deering Hall. x2972.

Men's Pledge of Alliance, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 12:15 p.m., Sept. 28, Library Steps. x4104.

Women's Soccer: Maine vs. Brown, 2 p.m., Sept. 28. xBEAR.

UMaine Responds to Rape, a panel discussion with representatives from Student Affairs, Campus Living, the District Attorney's Office and Rape Response Services, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 2:30 p.m., Sept. 28, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

Faculty Senate Meeting, 3:15 p.m., Sept. 28, Lown Rooms, Union. x1167.

Keynote by Katie Koestner discussing date rape and the relationship of alcohol and drugs to sexual assault, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 7 p.m., Sept. 28, 100 Corbett Business Building. x4104.

29 Thursday

Association of Graduate Students Board Meeting, noon, Sept. 29, Lown Rooms, Union. x4548.

"Interlocking Oppressions and the Rape Culture: A Feminist Interpretation," a campus community discussion of rape and social domination, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week and the Socialist and Marxist Studies Luncheon Series, 12:20-1:30 p.m., Sept. 29, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

"Man to Man - Working Together to Stop Rape," an opportunity for men to talk to men regarding sexual assault prevention and issues of sexuality, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 3 p.m., Sept. 29, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

"Darwin, Lamarck and Evolution," an Honors lecture by Irv Kornfield, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 29, 100 Neville Hall.

Navigating the Internet, a CAPS seminar, 3:30-5:30 p.m., Sept. 29, 115 Corbett Business Building. x3518.

Thursday Night at the Bear's Den with the band - For Mercy, 9 p.m., Sept. 29, Union. Admission fee. x1734.

30 Friday

Maine Opinions, hear views and reactions to the week's opinion panels posted throughout the Union Lobby, noon, Sept. 30, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

Rape Awareness Committee Meeting, open to all, part of Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week, 1:30 p.m., Sept. 30, Bangor Lounge, Union. x4104.

"Causes and Consequences of Changes in the Biota of the Baltic Sea," by Lena Kautsky, associate professor, University of Stockholm and member of the UMaine graduate faculty, part of the Department of Plant Biology Seminar Series, 1:30 p.m., Sept. 30, 101C Deering Hall. x2970.

Field Hockey: Maine vs. Drexel, 3 p.m., Sept. 30. xBEAR.

"Optical Media Manufacturing Technology," by Donald MacMillan, First Light Technology, Saco, part of the Department of Physics & Astronomy Colloquium Series, 3:10 p.m., Sept. 30, 140 Bennett Hall. x1039.

"The Peopling of the Americas, from an Historically Oriented South American Perspective," by Thomas Lynch, part of the First Americans: Peopling of the New World lecture series, 3:30 p.m., Sept. 30, Bodwell Area, Maine Center for the Arts. x1894.

UMaine Sports Hall of Fame Induction Banquet, part of Homecoming '94, 6 p.m., social; 7 p.m., dinner, Sept. 30. Admission fee. xBEAR.

The Scent of Green Papaya. (Vietnamese), part of the Not at the Mall film series, 6:30 p.m. and 9:15 p.m., Sept. 30, Hauck Auditorium. Admission fee. x1734.

Performance of Red Star Red Army, part of the Maine Center for the Arts performance season, 8 p.m., Sept. 30, Hutchins Concert Hall. Admission fee. x1755.

Comedy Café with Dane Cook and Tom Cotter, 9 p.m., Sept. 30, Damn Yankee. Admission fee. x1734.

1 Saturday

Graduate M Club Breakfast honoring gold and silver M athletes, part of Homecoming '94, 8 a.m., Oct. 1. x1142.

UMaine Teleconferences

Teleconferences now scheduled:

- Sept. 21** "Saving Your Skin," 9 p.m., location - TBA. Part of the "Picture of Health: Cancer Update '94," this program will stress prevention of skin cancer, explain early warning signs and look at treatment options.
- Sept. 29** "Decisions for Health: Community and Volunteer Immunization Efforts," noon-2:30 p.m., location - TBA. How to improve access to affordable, quality, early childhood immunizations is the focus of this program.
- Sept. 30** "Focus on Student Learning: Imperatives for Student Affairs," 11 a.m.-1 p.m., 219 Alumni Hall. This teleconference is designed to stimulate debate and discussion within higher education about how Student Affairs professionals can be more intentional in creating conditions that support and enhance student learning while providing needed student services.

The above programs are only a partial listing of teleconferences available through Public Affairs on the Orono campus. Tapes of all teleconferences aired on campus are available for viewing and purchase.

For a complete listing of upcoming teleconferences, to reserve seating, to order or view tapes, or for more information, call Carrie Bulduc, x3743.

New Employee Orientation Open House

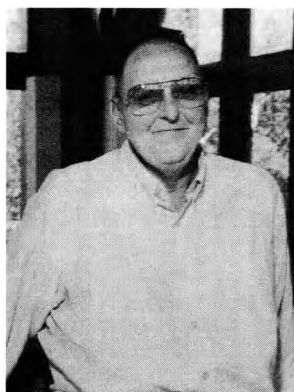
All University of Maine employees hired since January 1994 are invited to an Orientation Program sponsored by the Office of Human Resources. This informal open house will be held Sept. 22, 12:30-2:30 p.m., Bodwell Area, Maine Center for the Arts. This program is intended to provide general information on benefits as well as other University programs and services. Staff from Employee Benefits will be available throughout the program to answer your questions. We invite you to drop in and meet new friends and colleagues. Come and learn more about the University of Maine. If you plan to attend or have questions, call Catherine Pease or Bonita Grindle, x1579.

Oral Exams

"General Circulation and Density Distribution in Casco Bay, Maine," by Bin Gong, candidate for master's degree, 3-5 p.m., Sept. 20, 428 Aubert Hall.

"Understanding Users' and Wildlife Managers' Perceptions of Wildlife Management," by Marcia Phillips, candidate for master's degree in resource economics, 2 p.m., Sept. 21, Winslow Hall.

People in Perspective



Maxine Horne

Maxine Horne began working for the University of Maine at the age of 17 after her sister, a secretary in the Forestry Department, told her about an available clerk's position in the Maine Cooperative Wildlife Unit. That was nearly a half-century ago.

This year, Horne retired as an Administrative Assistant I after 48 years of service to the University. All that time was spent working for the same agency – the Maine Cooperative Fish and Wildlife Unit. She was not only there from the Unit's inception, but also saw a

handful of courses in wildlife taught by two faculty members grow to become a nationally recognized Department of Wildlife Ecology.

It's no wonder that her name through the years became synonymous with the wildlife department.

Horne worked first in Coburn Hall, then moved to East Annex in 1949. When Nutting Hall was completed in 1968, she was one of the first to move in. She has worked with four Unit leaders and three Department chairs, operating as a one-person support staff up until six years ago. She has assisted with hundreds of faculty publications, taking particular pride in her contributions to wildlife books that remain important reference resources in the state. In her career, she has been on the front lines fielding phone calls from the public and funneling inquiries to UMaine experts on the cutting edge of wildlife research.

"People call and say they have baby birds that fell from the nest and the neighborhood cat is hanging around. Or they have raccoons under their trailer, and since they're sure the animals came from the University Forest, we should take care of them. The best was the request to have one of the caribou appear in the Santa Claus parade," Horne said.

"Through the years, after listening to all the conversations going on in the office, I was able to tell people what to do when it comes to problems like squirrels in their yard. No matter what the call, I listen very patiently, and then try and break the news nice and easy that we can't come and take care of their wild animals because we really don't do that," Horne said.

A self-made wildlife aficionado who has hunted and fished since childhood, Horne admits it wasn't a passion for the great outdoors that kept her in the same department all these years. Rather, it had to do with the students – generation after generation of them.

"They are enjoyable, super students in forestry and wildlife," she said. "They've kept me on the young side in mind and body. We have students from Maine to Hawaii; Alaska is full of them."

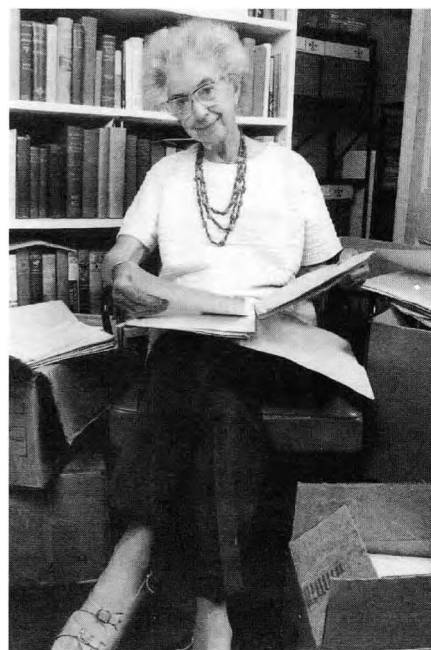
Year after year, Horne has kept track of the whereabouts of the wildlife graduates, and for more than a decade, sent each a Department newsletter every Christmas. "I hear back from them all the time, and I get all their kids' pictures. You should see the inside of my home with the knickknacks and pictures of moose, deer and wolves everywhere. Students through the years thought of Maxine and thought of wildlife, and those are the kinds of things I always got for Christmas."

Of the thousands of wildlife majors – the veterans on campus after she came in 1947, the "real young" students and now the mixture of traditional and nontraditional students – Horne contends they are all the same – a "different breed." And she will miss them most. ▲

A bit of football history as compiled by one of the University's most popular professors is headed to the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio. Ledgers and notepads filled with football statistics, notes and play-by-play charts dating back to the 1930s were kept by Robert Thomson, UMaine professor of political science and director of the Honors Program. Thomson, who joined the UMaine faculty in 1947, was a noted educator known for his in-depth knowledge on a wide range of subjects, and a Distinguished Maine Professor. But those closest to him also knew of his passion for sports, particularly football, and still remember him sitting in the Alumni Field bleachers charting the plays of the Black Bears. Thomson kept stats on UMaine as well as professional football. His tracking of teams and their strategies was most prolific from the 1960s to the time of his death in 1983, and his goal was to write a book on football strategy. His notes included information on the new rules for the game as they were issued through the years, and even Thomson's opinions on them. In attempting to find a good home for the boxes of notes on hundreds of games her husband had seen live or on television through the decades, Arline Thomson contacted the Pro Football Hall of Fame, and received an immediate response regarding the value of such historic records to people doing research on pro football. Almost a dozen boxes have been shipped to the Hall of Fame in recent weeks.

Thomson's library of books on football and other sports have been donated to Fogler Library. "When there was a football game on campus, he'd be

there with his yellow pad charting every play," said Arline Thomson, a long-time graphic designer on campus. "When he was home watching football games, he wouldn't answer the telephone. He took the sport very seriously. Bob was a chess player all his life, and he really connected the two. I'm hoping that by sending his research to the Hall of Fame, his years of work will help people who want to know more about the history of the game."



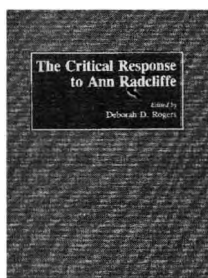
Arline Thomson

Andrew W. Mellon Fellowships in Humanistic Studies

Eighty Mellon Fellowships will be awarded to promising students in humanistic studies who will begin their Ph.D. programs in the fall of 1995. Eligible fields include American Studies, Art History, Classics, Comparative Literature, Cultural Anthropology, English Literature, Foreign Languages and Literature, History, History and Philosophy of Science, Musicology, Philosophy, Political Philosophy, and Religion. The stipend for this one-year program will be \$13,250 plus payment of tuition and required fees. Eligible students, either seniors or recent graduates who have not yet begun graduate studies, must request applications by Nov. 12, and must submit completed applications by Dec. 2. Candidates must take the graduate Record Examination General Test by Nov. 25. For brochures and additional information, contact Douglas Allen, professor of philosophy and university representative for the Mellon Fellowships in Humanistic Studies, Department of Philosophy, The Maples, 581-3860.

V O L U M E S

Recent Works by University of Maine Authors



***The Critical Response to Ann Radcliffe* Edited by Deborah Rogers Greenwood Press, 1994**

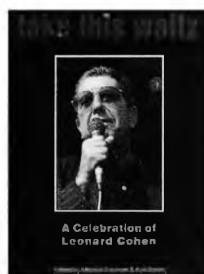
Ann Radcliffe was one of the most influential writers of the eighteenth century. Best known as the author of *The Italian* and *The Mysteries of Udolpho*, she contributed to the rise of the English novel and the development of the female gothic.

The Critical Responses to Ann Radcliffe brings together, for the first time, almost 100 documents on her work, including contemporary reviews, letters, diary entries, the most important critical assessments, and several new pieces. Edited by Associate Professor of English Deborah Rogers, the volume begins with an extensive introductory essay on Radcliffe's work and the critical reception of it. The chapters that follow consist of chronologically arranged critical analyses of particular works by Radcliffe. Several chapters present general critical responses to her writings, concluding with a bibliography of selected additional readings.

The Critical Responses to Ann Radcliffe is the seventh in the Critical Responses in Arts and Letters series of Greenwood Press. The series is designed to "present a documentary history of highlights in the critical reception to the body of work of writers and artists, and to individual works that are generally considered to be of major importance." Volumes under preparation include studies of individuals throughout the world in both contemporary and historical periods.

Critical Responses is Rogers' second book. An authority on eighteenth-century English literature, she also is the author of: *Bookseller as Rogue: John Almon and the Politics of Eighteenth-Century Publishing*.

The Conley Speech and Hearing Center, L-5, North Stevens Hall, is now accepting new therapy clients for the fall semester — preschool through adult — with speech/language/hearing disorders. For more information, call 581-2006.



***Take This Waltz: A Celebration of Leonard Cohen* Edited by Michael Fournier and Ken Norris (Muses' Company, Quebec 1994)**

Leonard Cohen is one of Canada's most important literary and musical artists. A novelist, playwright, poet, singer and songwriter, Cohen is one of the most influential and popular 1960s Canadian writers

whose talents inspired generations of performers. Cohen gained international popularity as a coffeehouse singer with his songs of love and protest in the '60s and '70s. Highlights of his works include his poetry in *The Spice-Box of Earth* and *Flowers for Hitler*, and in fiction, *The Favorite Game* and *Beautiful Losers*. The first of his many records, *Songs of Leonard Cohen*, was issued in 1968.

In celebration of his life and career — as Cohen approaches his 60th birthday on Sept. 21 — *Take This Waltz* was compiled and published. *Take This Waltz: A Celebration of Leonard Cohen* is a collection of poetry and prose, tributes and testimonials to a man Judy Collins described as "an ageless inspiration" and "the one who told me to write songs."

Collins met Cohen in New York in 1966, and was so impressed after hearing his songs that she debuted many of them on her next album. Those hits were soon followed by others as recording artists eagerly sought out Cohen's works. *Suzanne*, *Sisters of Mercy*, *The Story of Isaac*, and *Stories of the Street* were among the successes.

Artists like Collins, Joan Baez, Kris Kristofferson and Charlie Daniels join literary giants like Allen Ginsberg in paying tribute to the icon in *Take This Waltz*. Among those writing are UMaine alumnus Michael Fournier and Associate Professor of Canadian Literature Ken Norris, the editors of *Take This Waltz*.

The University of Maine — University of New Brunswick Exchange Program

We are now in year three of the third 3-year exchange program established between the University of Maine and the University of New Brunswick. Each university contributes \$5,000 annually for three years to support this program with the expectation that closer institutional ties will develop between the two universities.

Funds are available to support UMaine faculty, professionals, and students in collaborative research, seminars, symposia, and cooperative instruction with their UNB counterparts.

Faculty and professional employees are invited to submit proposals for funding in academic year 1994-95. For an application form, contact Amy Morin . 581-4220.

For further information and submission of proposals contact: Stephen Hornsby, Canadian-American Center, 581-4226.



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AGS Fall Board Meetings

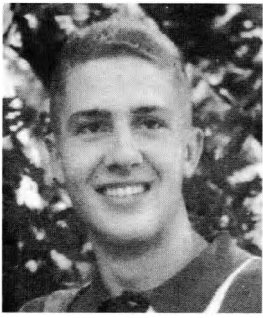
All Meetings Begin at Noon in the Lown Room, Union

Thursday, September 29	Thursday, November 17
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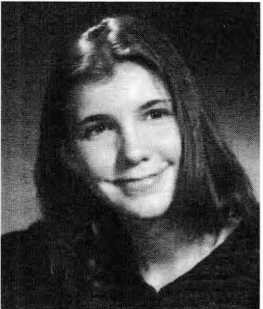
The Student Academic Conference Travel Fund for undergraduate students will hold its first competition of the academic year. This fund serves undergraduate students who need financial assistance for travel to meetings/conferences of an **academic** nature. Applications must be submitted to the Office of Academic Affairs (209 Alumni Hall) by Oct. 4. Money will be awarded for travel taking place between Oct. 5 and Feb. 7. Applications can be obtained from Devon Storman at the Office of Academic Affairs, 209 Alumni Hall, or by calling x1550.



Ross Barker II of Jay, a graduate of Jay High School, is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. Barker was valedictorian, president of his school's National Honor Society chapter and vice president of his senior class. At UMaine, he is majoring in chemical engineering.



Nicole Beaudoin of Milford is the recipient of a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for music. A graduate of Old Town High School, Beaudoin is a National Honor Society member and recipient of a Blaine House Scholarship. She is majoring in music education.

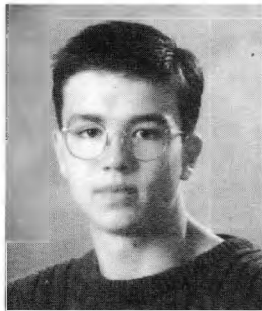


Michelle Belanger of Lewiston is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. At Lewiston High School, she was a member of the National Honor Society. She is enrolled in the ACE Program.

Zachary Beane of Talmadge is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. The National Merit semifinalist from Woodland High School, Beane was a Boys' State nominee. He is majoring in computer science. (Not pictured)

Recognizing Scholarship

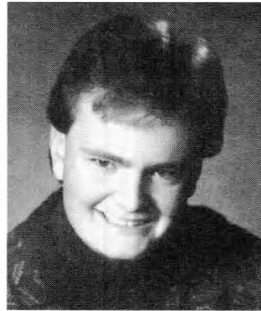
This fall, 237 first-year students at the University of Maine are recipients of scholarships, honors, tuition waivers and awards offered by UMaine. They include First-Year Academic Recognition Awards, offered to academically qualified students who have been approved for admission. The Distinguished Scholar Awards are made on the basis of strong high school academic performance and standardized test scores above national and state averages. Distinguished Student Awards are offered to encourage academically talented students in the arts, and minority students who are specially selected based on their academic potential. Tuition Waivers are awarded to the most outstanding scholars who are entering the University of Maine as first-year students. Maine Scholars Days Scholarships are awarded upon matriculation at the University to students making the highest marks on verbal and quantitative exams. Approximately 450-500 Maine high school sophomores and juniors compete each year for 40 Maine Scholars Awards, with selection based on demonstration of scholarly distinction, creativity, character and leadership. Academic Achievement Awards are designed to recognize scholarship among high school juniors, and provide support and encouragement of education and intellectual pursuits. Participating schools have nominated their highest ranking male and female juniors who have demonstrated a strong desire to learn as well as high standards of scholarship. (Note: Student Scholars are not listed in alphabetical order.)



Benjamin Blanchette of Orrington is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. The Brewer High School graduate is a National Honor Society member and an AP Scholar, and participated in Boys' State. He is majoring in mechanical engineering.



Andrea Bowman of Harmony is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Dexter Regional High School, Bowman attended Girls' State, and is a member of the French Honor Society and National Honor Society. She is majoring in mechanical engineering.



Jason Brown of Abbot Village is the recipient of a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for music. A graduate of Piscataquis Community High School, Brown was a Boys' State delegate and recipient of the George Himes Memorial Music Award. He is majoring in music education.



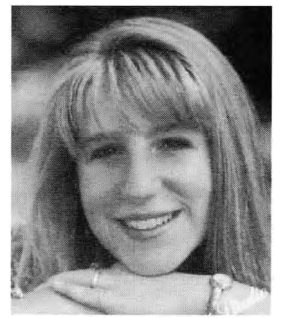
Magan Burke of Cordova, Tenn., is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Houston High School, she is a member of the National Honor Society and National Beta Club. She is majoring in chemical engineering.



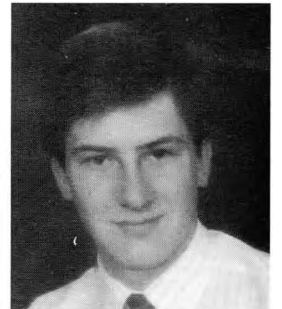
Jessica Chase of Charleston is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Foxcroft Academy, Chase is a National Merit Commended Scholar, a member of the National Honor Society, and recipient of the Rose Award, presented to the top 15 percent of the senior class. She is majoring in chemical engineering at UMaine.

Craig Bossie of Houlton received a Distinguished Scholar Award. The salutatorian of Houlton High School, Bossie is a National Merit Scholar and a member of the National Honor Society. He is majoring in chemical engineering. (Not pictured)

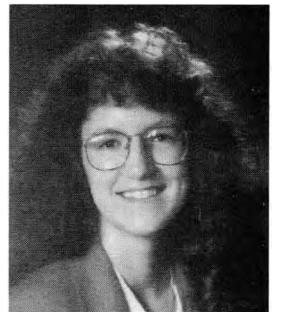
Megan Campbell of Lewiston is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Lewiston High School, Campbell was a Girls' State delegate and a Blaine House Scholar, and is a member of the National Honor Society. She is majoring in English. (Not pictured)



Courtney Cianchette of Pittsfield is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and an Academic Achievement Award. Salutatorian of Maine Central Institute, Cianchette attended Girls' State and is a National Honor Society member. She is in the College of Arts & Humanities.

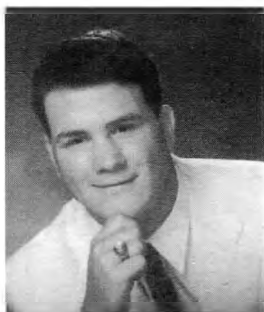


Tracy Comeau of Milford is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Old Town High School, Comeau is a National Honor Society member and attended Boys' State. He is studying computer science and mathematics.

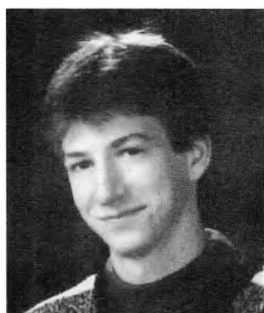


Jennifer Cowen of Sorrento is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. Valedictorian of Ellsworth High School, Cowen was named a Tomorrow's Leader. She is majoring in history.

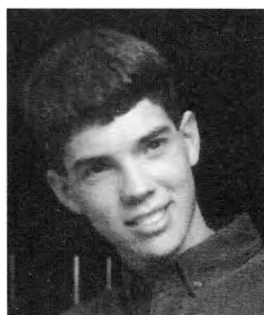
Jamie Connor of Otis is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Ellsworth High School, Connor was vice president of her school's National Honor Society chapter and First Honor Essayist of her class. A member of SPECTRUM, Connor is majoring in child development. (Not pictured)



Tim Crepeau of Biddeford is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Biddeford High School, Crepeau participated in Boys' State and Maine Scholars Days. He is a National Honor Society member. Crepeau is majoring in business.



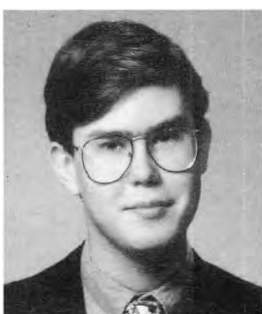
Christopher Curtis of Shermont Mills is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and Maine Scholars Scholarship. A graduate of Katahdin High School, Curtis attended Boys' State and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in biology at UMaine.



Joseph Decker of Phillips is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Mt. Abram High School, Decker is a National Honor Society member and recipient of a National Scholar Athlete Award. He is majoring in mechanical engineering.



Jessica Donovan of Oakland is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. Co-valedictorian of Messalonskee High School, Donovan is a National Honor Society member and participant in the Bigelow Laboratory for Ocean Studies Program. She is majoring in chemical engineering.



William Doughty of Bangor is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Bangor High School, Doughty is a National Honor Society member and Bangor High School Scholar, and recipient of the Kirstein Scholarship. He is studying in the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences.



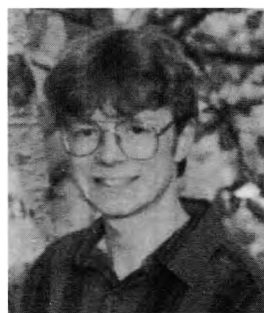
Aaron Dries of Windham is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for music. A graduate of Windham High School, Dries was president of his school's National Honor Society chapter, recipient of a National School Orchestra Award and a member of the All-State Orchestra for four years. He is majoring in chemical engineering.



Amy Dwyer of Hampden is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. Valedictorian of Hampden Academy, Dwyer served as president of her school's National Honor Society and is the recipient of a Stephen King Scholarship. She is majoring in chemical engineering.

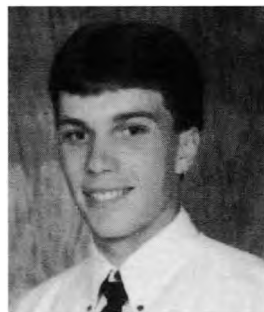


Audra Ellis of Jackman is the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award. Valedictorian of Forest Hills High School, Ellis is a National Honor Society member. She is enrolled in the ACE Program.

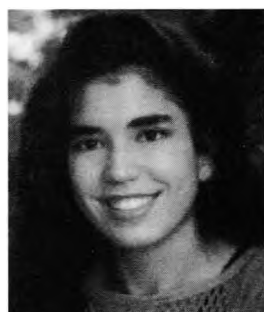


Shane Farwell of Dixfield is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Dirigo High School, Farwell attended Boys' State, is a National Honor Society member, and received a Maine Principal's Association Award. He is majoring in mathematics.

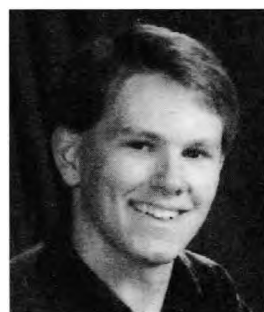
David Foster of Eddington is the recipient of Distinguished Scholar and Academic Achievement Awards. A graduate of John Baptist Memorial High School, Foster was a Boys' State delegate and is vice president of Surreal Comics. He is majoring in electrical engineering. (Not pictured)



Kyle Fox of Island Falls is the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Southern Arrostook Community School, Fox is a National Honor Society member and recipient of an Army ROTC Scholarship and the Ray A. Kroc Youth Achievement Award. He is majoring in computer engineering.



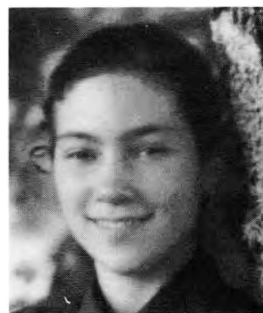
Tori Freitas of Limestone is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. Valedictorian of Limestone Junior/Senior High School, she was a delegate to Girls' State and treasurer of her school's National Honor Society chapter. She is pursuing pre-veterinary studies at UMaine.



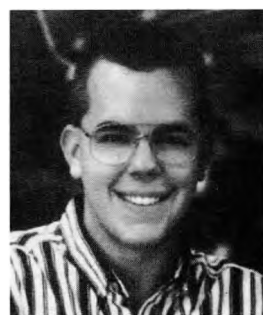
Jonathan Grant of Columbia Falls is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Narraguagus High School, Grant was a Boys' State delegate and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in chemical engineering.



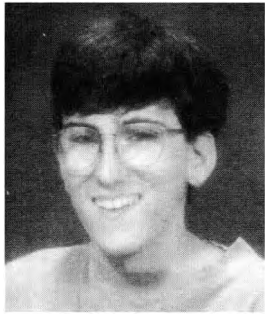
Amy Greer of Sanford is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Sanford High School, Greer is a National Merit Scholar who attended Girls' State and is a National Honor Society member. She is majoring in business administration.



Leslie Herger of Jonesboro is the recipient of a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for art. A graduate of Washburn Academy, Herger is a National Honor Society member and a Downeast Athletic Conference All-star in softball. She is majoring in art education.



Scott Hill of Calais is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Calais High School, Hill is the recipient of a Ray A. Kroc Youth Achievement Award. He is majoring in accounting.



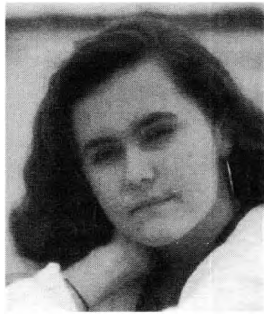
Carl Houde of Eliot is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Mashwood High School, Houde is also the recipient of a President's Academic Effort Award and a Timothy Youth Award. He is majoring in computer engineering.



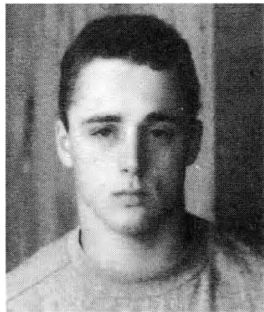
Jennifer Huard of Benton is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Lawrence High School, Huard was secretary of her school's National Honor Society chapter and recipient of a Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Award. A National Merit Scholar, Huard is majoring in molecular biology.



Christina James of Woodland is the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Woodland High School, James is a National Honor Society member and was a Girls' State alternate. She is majoring in accounting.



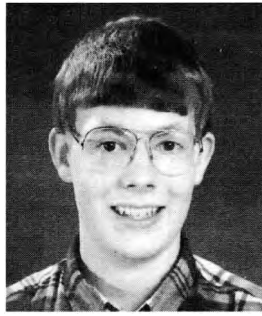
Christie Letourneau of Biddeford is the recipient of a Book Award. A graduate of Biddeford High School, Letourneau is a Blaine House Scholar and recipient of a Biddeford Rotary Scholarship. She also attended Girls' State. She is majoring in elementary education at UMaine.



Brent Linkletter of Athens is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Madison Area Memorial High School, Linkletter is the recipient of an Orono Academic Scholarship and a Somerset Academic Scholarship. He is majoring in business administration.



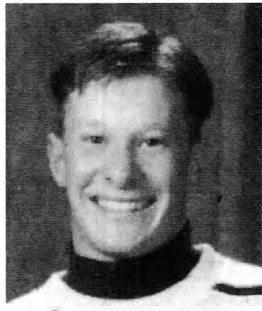
Carol Livingstone of Winthrop is the recipient of a Liberace Foundation Scholarship and a Distinguished Student Award in the Visual Arts for art. A graduate of Winthrop High School, Livingstone was captain of her school's cross-country ski team that won the state championship. She is majoring in art at UMaine.



Edwin Lord III of Levant is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. Ranked second in his class at Herman High School, Lord attended Maine Scholars Days and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in chemical engineering.



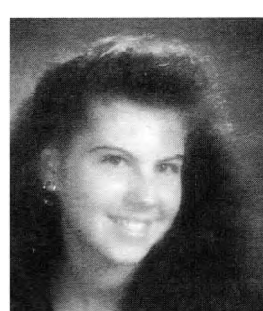
Erik Maier of Bath is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Morse High School, the National Merit Scholar was president of his school's National Honor Society chapter, and a senator at Boys' State. He is majoring in computer engineering.



Joshua Mathews of Pittsfield is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Maine Central Institute, Mathews was a gold medalist in the National Science Olympiad and a MCI Master's Cup recipient. A National Honor Society member, Mathews is majoring in chemical engineering.



Jennifer Moffitt of Gorham is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Gorham High School, Moffitt received a Public Speaking Award, Western Maine Citizenship Award, and a Team Leadership Award for tennis. She is majoring in civil engineering at UMaine.

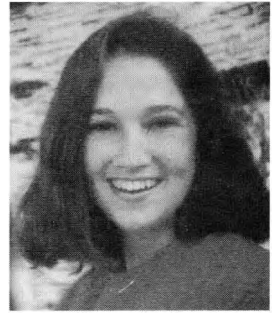


Jessica Moody of Newburyport, Mass., is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Newburyport High School, Moody is a National Honor Society member. She is majoring in business.



Jesse Parks of Alexander is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Woodland High School, the National Merit Scholar was a Boys' State delegate and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in electrical engineering.

Jason Cunningham of Windsor is the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Erskine Academy, Cunningham is a National Honor Society member and recipient of a Presidential Academic Fitness Award. He is majoring in journalism. (Not pictured)



Cherie Porter of Lincoln is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Mattanawcook Academy, Porter was a Girls' State delegate and an Honor Student for four years. A National Honor Society member, she is majoring in chemical engineering.



Sunglee Randall of Dexter is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Dexter Regional High School, Randall is a National Honor Society and Spanish Honor Society member. She is majoring in geology.

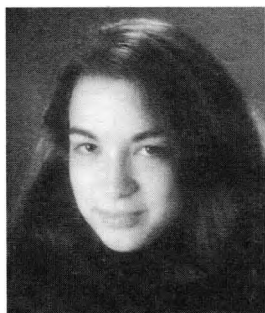


Belle Ryder of Ellsworth is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Ellsworth High School, Ryder is a Commended Scholar and Presidential Scholar, as well as National Honor Society member. She is majoring in engineering.

Micah Simonsen of Bailey Island is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Mt. Ararat High School, Simonsen is an AP Scholar, Honors Graduate and National Merit Semi-finalist. Simonsen is majoring in mechanical engineering. (Not pictured)



Catherine Slaven of Bangor is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Bangor High School, she is pursuing studies in the College of Natural Resources, Forestry and Agriculture.

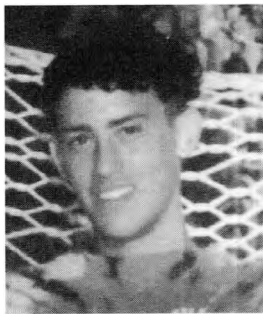


Elizabeth Slaven of Bangor is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Bangor High School, she is studying in the College of Sciences.

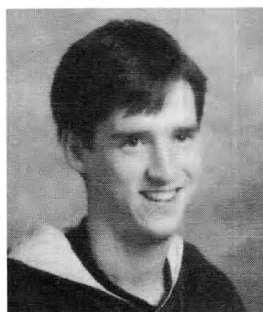


Adam Slayton of St. Johnsbury, Vt., is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and Tuition Waiver. A graduate of St. Johnsbury Academy, Slayton achieved two Summa Cum Laudes on National Latin Exams, and was a member of the 1994 Vermont State Scholar's Bowl Championship Team. Slayton, an Eagle Scout, is studying engineering physics.

Kristin Frazier of Gorham is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Gorham High School, Frazier participated in the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation Seminar. She is the recipient of a Smith Book Award and a Human Nature Award. Frazier is majoring in anthropology. (Not pictured)



Jacob Stass-Handwerker of Portland is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Deering High School, Stass-Handwerker is a National Honor Society member and First Honor Essayist. He is studying environmental engineering.



Jason Syversen of Hampden is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. Syversen was home schooled for 10 years, and also attended some classes at Hampden Academy. An Eagle Scout, Syversen was one of 25 students chosen to represent the U.S. as part of the Columbus Expedition to Spain. He also was first board on Hampden Academy's chess team. Syversen is majoring in engineering.



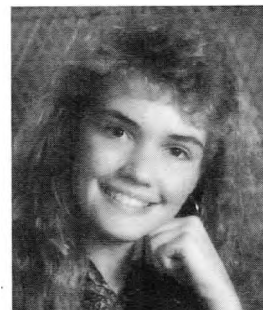
Jill Tardiff of East Holden is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Brewer High School, Tardiff was the second highest ranking student in her graduating class, and is a National Honor Society member. She is majoring in social work.



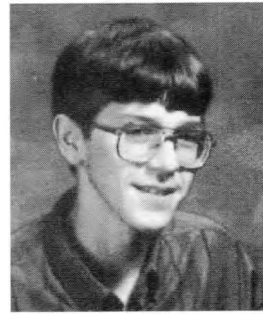
Heidi Tower of Patten is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Katahdin High School, Tower was a Maine Scholars Days participant and a Silver Medalist in the State Science Fair. A National Honor Society member, Tower is majoring in human nutrition.



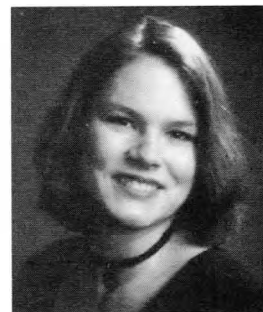
Shenanne Tucker of Perham is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Washburn District High School, Tucker served as treasurer of her school's National Honor Society chapter and earned Maine Educational Assessment Commendation in Mathematics. She is majoring in chemical engineering.



Denise Wentworth of Ashland is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Ashland Community High School, Wentworth is a National Honor Society member and the recipient of a Maine Principal's Association Award and a Student of the Year Award. She is majoring in political science.



Edwin West Jr., of Chelsea is the recipient of a Maine Scholars Days Award. A graduate of Hall-Dale High School, West was in the Top 10 of his class and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in secondary education.



Kristen Williams of Millinocket is the recipient of a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for theater. A graduate of Stearns, Williams is a Maine Scholar, a National Honor Society member and participant in the MPA All-Festival Cast - state and regional. She is majoring in theater.



Sarah Williams of Brewer is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Brewer High School, Williams is a National Merit Commended Scholar, a National Presidential Scholar semi-finalist, and a second place finisher in the State DAR Contest. She is majoring in chemical engineering.



Amanda Wilson of Andover, Mass., is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Andover High School, Wilson received the Andover Sportsmen's Club Scholarship, and an Andover High Swimming & Diving Sportsmanship Award. She was also named National Interscholastic Swimming Coaches Association Academic All-American. She is studying in the College of Natural Resources, Forestry and Agriculture.

Mitch Hersey of Presque Isle is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Presque Isle High School, Hersey is a National Merit semifinalist who participated in the Bigelow Laboratory High School Science Program and Maine Research Internships for Teachers & Students. He is majoring in molecular biology. (Not pictured)

Michael Hoyt of Coventry, Conn., is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of East Catholic High School, Manchester, Conn., Hoyt is a National Merit Commended Scholar and recipient of the Milton Camilleri Memorial Scholarship. He is majoring in wildlife management. (Not pictured)

Susan Libby of Yarmouth is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. A graduate of Yarmouth High School, Libby is the recipient of a Coombs Scholarship and a Cutting Scholarship, and was named Lion's Club Student of the Month last February. She is pursuing studies in natural resources. (Not pictured)

Karen Polizzi of Wells is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Wells High School, Polizzi was a member of the All-Festival cast of the Maine Drama Festival, and is a National Honor Society member. She also received an Ocean National Bank Literacy Award. Polizzi is majoring in biochemistry. (Not pictured)

Gilliam Munden of Rockland is the recipient of a Distinguished Scholar Award. Valedictorian of Rockland District High School. Munden received a Bausch & Lomb Award, and is a National Honor Society member. He is majoring in computer science. (Not pictured)

Melissa Penton of Danbury, Conn., is the recipient of a Tuition Waiver. A graduate of Danbury High School, Penton received the Ann C. Thorpe Scholarship Award for Creative Writing and a Barden Foundation Scholarship. A National Honor Society member, she is majoring in English. (Not pictured)

Darren Richards of Machias is the recipient of an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Machias Memorial High School, Richards had perfect attendance throughout high school, and is a National Honor Society member. He is pursuing studies in veterinary medicine. (Not pictured)

Debra Roberts of Biddeford is the recipient of a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for music. A graduate of Biddeford High School, Roberts is a Blaine House Scholar and a National Honor Society member. She is majoring in music education at UMaine. (Not pictured)

Bryon Souther of Livermore Falls is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and an Academic Achievement Award. A graduate of Livermore Falls High School, Souther is the recipient of a Bausch & Lomb Science Award, and was a delegate to Boys' State. A National Honor Society member, he is studying civil engineering. (Not pictured)

Brendan Trainor of Veazie is the recipient of an Academic Recognition Award and a Distinguished Student Award in the Performing Arts for theater. A graduate of John Bapst Memorial High School, Trainor was on the Honor Roll throughout all four years of high school. He is majoring in English. (Not pictured)

Melissa Hines of Houlton is the recipient of a Maine Scholars Award and an Academic Recognition Award. A graduate of Houlton High School, Hines attended Girls' State and is a National Honor Society member. She also received a Science and Mathematics Achievement Award from the Society of Women Engineers. She is pursuing pre-med studies at UMaine. (Not pictured)

Other Special Scholarship Recipients include: Sherry Albert of Bangor; Julie Allen of Bradford; William Antell; Karen Batchelder of South Berwick; Steve Bell of Augusta; Aaron Brace of Brunswick; Jared Bruce of Fort Fairfield; Anthony Capozzi of York; Lynn Caras of Saco; Jennifer Caron of Lewiston; Sandi Carver of Beals; Eric Chaples of Bangor; Heather Cottle of Medway; Danielle Claffey of Scarborough; Jason Clay of Lincoln; Sarah Crites of Winthrop; Kendra Crocker of Lee; Leslie Cunningham of Liberty; Jason Dean of Oakland; Lan Ngoc Do of Bangor; Jennifer Dube of Lewiston; Paula Elias of Madison; Tori Falardeau of Bath; David Gahriss of Charleston; Erica Hanson of Brunswick; Harold Hatch of Howland; Tyler Jarrett of Steuben; Amanda Joseph of Belfast; Sarah Kron of Tyrone, N.Y.; Damian LaBree of Old Town; Jessica Leavitt of Turner; Kurtis Marsh of Brewer; Nathan McLaughlin of Old Town; Megan McManus of Bangor; Shawn Merchant of Ellsworth; David Merrill of Winthrop; Jason Morneau of Fort Kent; Nancy Murray of Greenville; Emily Nelson of Ellsworth; Timothy Noel of Lewiston; Timothy Paradis of Fort Kent; Matthew Peters of Dixfield; Seth Pouwels of Franklin; Tammany Shankle of Topsham; Michelle Suthard of Zion; Jessica Taylor of Northeast Harbor; Peter Tessier of Lyndonville, Vt.; Darcy Tucker of Buckfield; Diana Wakeman of Durham; Leslie Welch of Jay.

Monday, Sept. 26, Noon DEDICATION ON THE MALL

The University community will create and dedicate a memorial on the Mall to open Rape and Sexual Assault Awareness Week. Tie a red ribbon on the rope to remember a survivor of sexual assault. Speakers will comment on the importance of rape prevention and the support offered by UMaine.
Library Steps

Monday, Sept. 26, 7 p.m. DREAMWORLDS

This video discusses male fantasies and the way they are portrayed in music videos. Through narration and segments of rock videos the film discusses the objectification of women and the connection to sexual assault. Join us as we view and discuss the video with a distinguished panel including representatives from the Women's Resource Center, and the Departments of Communications and Psychology.
100 Corbett Business Building

Tuesday, Sept. 27, 12:15 p.m. PERSONAL SAFETY WITH DEB MITCHELL

Do you know what to do if you break down on the highway? Or is someone follows you home? Do you know how to use everyday items to defend yourself? Learn this and much, much more as Deb Mitchell from the office of public safety discusses a common sense approach to personal safety. This program is aimed at making both men and women feel more physically secure.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

Wednesday, Sept. 28, 12:15 p.m. MEN'S PLEDGE OF ALLIANCE

Male students, faculty and staff are invited to pledge their alliance with the effort to reduce and eliminate rape in our community. After a discussion of what men can do to prevent rape, this pledge is symbolized when men tie blue ribbons on the Memorial located around the Mall.
Library Steps

Wednesday, Sept. 28, 2:30 p.m. UMAINE RESPONDS TO RAPE

This panel of Student Affairs and Campus Living staff, and representatives from the District Attorney's Office and Rape Response Services will explain the mechanism by which the university responds to sexual assault. The panel discusses how response can begin at any point along the chain of responders. New faculty, staff, resident assistants, resident directors and Greek live-in advisors are especially invited to attend.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

Wednesday, Sept. 28, 7 p.m. KEYNOTE BY KATIE KOESTNER

Our keynote speaker this year is Katie Koestner, a 1994 graduate at William and Mary College. Her topic will be date rape and she will discuss her own experience encountering college officials, police, health professionals, family, friends, the media and Congress. She will also address the relationship of alcohol and drugs to sexual assault. The story of her assault has received extensive coverage in the *New York Times*, *The Washington Post*, NBC's national news, and many others.
100 Corbett Business Building

Thursday, Sept. 29, 12:20-1:30 p.m. INTERLOCKING OPPRESSIONS AND THE RAPE CULTURE: A FEMINIST PERSPECTIVE

Here is your chance to take part in a discussion that may challenge your view on the issue of rape. See how other members of the campus community make connections between social domination and rape.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

Thursday, Sept. 29, 3 p.m. MAN TO MAN, WORKING TOGETHER TO STOP RAPE

Here is an opportunity for men to talk to men regarding sexual assault prevention and to their issues of sexuality in today's politically charged environment. Join us to learn, to teach, to argue, and to agree.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

Friday, Sept. 30, Noon MAINE OPINIONS

Here is an opportunity for you to hear others views and reactions to the week's opinion panels.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

Friday, Sept. 30, 1:30 p.m. RAPE AWARENESS COMMITTEE MEETING - OPEN TO ALL

All are invited to attend our open Rape Awareness Committee meeting. If you have an interest in joining our work, please meet with us today. Or maybe you just want to comment on the week's activities. You are invited.
Bangor Lounge, Memorial Union

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE UNITED AGAINST RAPE & SEXUAL ASSAULT WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW



IT HURTS. LET'S DEAL WITH IT.

SEPTEMBER 26-30

Women's Resource Center and Student Women's Center OPEN HOUSE

Wednesday, Sept. 21, 4-7 p.m.

Learn more about women's initiatives and events on campus, as well as meet other women from campus and the community.

Door prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.

For more information, call 581-1508.



John Weispfenning, assistant professor of communication and journalism, presented a paper: "The Face of Media Convergence: A Comparison of Online and Print Versions of *USA Today*," at the Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication annual conference in Atlanta, Aug. 10-13.

Bud Blumenstock, forestry specialist with Cooperative Extension and cooperating professor of forest resources, spoke to the Bangor Kiwanis Club Sept. 1 on: "A Clear (cut) View of the Maine Forest."

Erdogan Kiran, Gottesman Research Professor of Chemical Engineering, attended the 12th Symposium on Thermophysical Properties, June 18-24, Boulder, where he co-chaired the technical session: "Supercritical Fluids-Solubility." He also presented a paper: "Viscosity of Polymer Solutions at High Pressures," co-authored by **Zeliha Gokmenoglu**, a graduate student in chemical engineering. Kiran was also an invited speaker at Massachusetts Institute of Technology where he presented a talk July 26: "Polymer Solubility and Phase Separation in Fluids." He recently attended the 1994 Tappi Plastic Laminates Symposium, Aug. 23-26, Atlanta, where he was an invited speaker. He presented a talk: "Cure Behavior of Paper-Phenolic Composite Systems," co-authored by **Rajan Iyer**, a graduate student in chemical engineering.

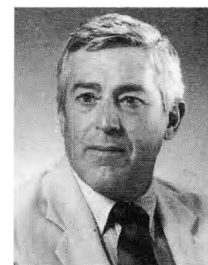
Matthew Moen, associate professor of political science, chaired a panel: "Religious Revivalism, Clashing Faiths, and the State," at the annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association, New York, Aug. 31-Sept. 4. In addition, he chaired the annual business meeting of the 350-member Religion and Politics Division, having served as its chairperson during the past year.

Stephen Barkan, professor, **Valerie Carter**, assistant professor, **Steven Cohn**, professor, **Saundra Gardner**, associate professor, **Susan Greenwood**, instructor, and **Barbara Michaud**, undergraduate student, Department of Sociology, attended the annual meetings of the American Sociological Association. Barkan and Cohn presented: "Emotional and Cognitive Resources in the Development of Social Movements: Supplementing Resource Mobilization Theory." Barkan also attended the annual meetings of the Society for the Study of Social Problems and presided at the business meeting of the Law and Society Division as the Division's newly elected chair. Gardner attended: "Role of the Chair Workshop," and Greenwood was part of a roundtable discussion: "Pareto's Lions and Foxes and the Myers Briggs Type Indicator." Michaud attended the ASA Honors Program, attended workshops and roundtable paper presentations.

Leslie Flemming, dean, College of Arts and Humanities, was one of 17 feminist college professors profiled by Frances A. Maher and Mary Kay Thompson Tetreault in: *The Feminist Classroom*, Basic Books, 1994.

Steve Colburn, **Horace Givens** and **Gloria Vollmers**, all of the College of Business, participated in the annual meeting of the American Accounting Association in New York City Aug. 10-13.

The New England Association of College Admissions Counselors is pleased to announce that William Munsey, dean of Admissions at the University of Maine, has been chosen as Maine's College Counselor of the Year. Munsey was presented the award at the Association's recent conference at Clark University in Worcester, Massachusetts.



This award was created two years ago by NEACAC to honor an outstanding college counselor from each of the six New England states. The winners must demonstrate honesty, thoroughness, patience, sensitivity, leadership and a sense of humor, according to the Association's guidelines.

Munsey is a UMaine graduate who received his master's degree from Boston University. Prior to his position at the University of Maine, Munsey was director of Admissions at the University of Southern Maine and was an admissions counselor at State University of New York in New Paltz.

As a member of the Board of Governors for NEACAC, Munsey also co-chairs the Admissions Practices Committee and is a member of the Budget and Finance Committee for the National Association of College Admissions Counselors. Munsey has been a member of New England and National Council of the College Board and is a member of the New England Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers. He is a past president of the Mains state YMCA, Maine YMCA Camp Committee and Old Town/Orono YMCA.

The New England Association of College Admissions Counselors represents more than 2,000 counselors and institutions and brings together secondary school counselors and college admissions counselors and officers, as well as other professions who work directly with students as they make decisions and choices about college.

Merrill Elias and **Michael Robbins**, Department of Psychology, co-authored a paper on age, blood pressure and cognitive functioning as part of a symposium: "Inevitability of Aging and Health," at the August meeting of the American Psychological Association.

At the International Medieval Congress held at the University of Leeds, England, Jul 3-7y, **Michael Grillo**, assistant professor in the Department of Art, organized a three-paper session: "The Ineffable and the Visual," in which he introduced the theme proposing visual linguistics, and then presented the paper: "Images Over Text: No Need for Explication."

Howard Patterson, professor of chemistry; **Steven Webber**, graduate student in mechanical engineering; **Scott Schmidt**, undergraduate; **Kerry Capelle**, undergraduate; **Rob Cyr**, **Stephen Ouellette**, UMaine 1992 graduate and valedictorian; and Masakazu Anpo, professor of applied chemistry, University of Osaka Prefecture, Osaka, Japan, presented a paper: "Photoluminescence and Photocatalytic Activity of Supported Metal Oxide Catalysts: Relation Between Excited Electronic States and Primary Molecular Processes," 208th American Chemical Society in Washington, D.C., August.



Maine Perspective classified ads are published weekly and are free to faculty, staff and students at the University of Maine. Ads must be typewritten and include a telephone number. They will be published one week only unless otherwise specified. Send ads to: Maine Perspective Classifieds, Public Affairs. Ads must be received by 9 a.m. the Friday before they are to appear in the next week's issue.

FOR SALE

ACREAGE: 19+/- acres overlooking the Penobscot River, 20 minutes from Orono campus. Soil tested, driveway to the river, low taxes. Small barn included. Very private, must see. Call 827-2243.

CAMPER: 1974 Shasta 16-foot camper. Self-contained, gas furnace. Sleeps 4, gas stove, electric and gas refrigerator. Clean and lots of storage space, new tires. \$2,000. Call Walter or Cynthia, 827-4739.

HOUSE: Located on dead-end street in Orono, within walking distance to campus. Two+ bedrooms, drive-in cellar, garage, large yard, many new renovations. Asking \$68,500. Call 843-5578.

ICE SKATES: Mega Air 90/Tuuk Blades (Size 10) — retail price: \$270. CCM VT 652 Tacks (Size 11) — retail price: \$270. Asking \$175 for each pair. Call 827-3374.

INFANT/TODDLER ITEMS: 2 baby strollers, 3 cribs, 2 changing tables, diaper pail, baby bath, bath support ring, Jolly Jumper, infant windup swing, 3-in-1 travel playpen, training potties, 2 infant-toddler bike seats, infant backpack, and pressure gates — everything like new. Call 947-7799.

PRINTER: IBM ProPrinter, 24-pin, hand and tractor feed capabilities, new ribbon. Clean and in good condition, easy to use. With 8' cable and owner's manuals. \$150 or best offer. Call 866-2159, M-Th eves.

TRUCK: 1989 Chevrolet Scotsdale, K2500. Extended cab (seats six), full size bed w/liner, 4x4, 77k miles, excellent condition. Asking \$12,500. Call 827-2950.

WOOD STOVE: Model 8PC, 22 1/4" Wx33"Hx19 1/2"L, 1,000 sq. ft. heating capacity, 16" maximum log length, equipped with 6" long life catalytic combustor, front loading, cast iron glass door with precision draft controls, fire brick-lined, comes with a 4'x4' black slate base, clean — no scratches. Purchased new 9/89 for \$700. Used 3 seasons. Will sell for \$300 firm. Call Dick, 223-5929.

FOR RENT

HOUSE: Rent with option to buy. Custom-built home on 4 acres of woodlands. Stone wall original boundaries. 3 BR, 2.5 baths, living room with fireplace, formal dining room, family room, with stone fireplace. Kitchen with bay window breakfast area. Forest Avenue. Available immediately. Call 615-598-1309.

HOUSE: 4-bedroom house in Old Town. Located on French Island. 1 1/2 baths, large rooms. Pets OK on approval. Tenant pays oil heat and electricity. Looking for mature individuals or family. Rent around \$525/month. Charles, 941-1010 (W), 525-4480 (H).

WANTED

CARPPOOL: Want to share a ride or join a carpool from Winterport. Monday-Friday, everyday or just a few. Work hours: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Call Terri, 581-3500.

PERSONAL CARE ATTENDANTS/ ACADEMIC AIDES: UMaine student with disabilities looking for personal care attendants and academic aids. Four to six students seeking part-time work to share approximately 40 hours a week. I usually have various people working for me, because different people feel more comfortable doing different things. I'm also looking for a person to live in my DTAV (Doris Twitchell Allen Village) apartment with me, you would have your own single room next to my double. Your responsibilities would be to put me in bed a couple nights a week and be in the apartment at night in case of an emergency fire drill. No special training required! You will help me get dressed, washed, fed, drive my van, and some academic help. My name is Bill Picard, otherwise known as "Captain." I have cerebral palsy and I'm speech impaired. I can talk a little, but it takes a couple of days to get used to my speech. Please don't let the word "disabled" and "personal care" frighten you. As soon as you get to know me, you will see I am just like everybody else. If interested, call me at 581-7170 for additional information.

Employee Assistance Program Services Available

The Employee Assistance Program (EAP) provides free, professional consultation, problem assessment, referral when appropriate, and monitoring of client progress services for all active and retired faculty and staff, and their immediate family members who have personal or work-related concerns. This confidential resource assists employees with a wide range of issues, such as:

- Occupational or Personal Stress
- Emotional Disturbances
- Depression
- Marital and Family Issues
- Financial Concerns
- Legal Referrals
- Alcohol and Drug Misuse and Dependency
- Eldercare
- Career Decisions

Confidentiality is the most critical component of EAP. All contacts are strictly confidential unless otherwise required by law. No information, including participation in EAP, is disclosed without written authorization from the client. The office is open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. An appointment can be made by calling 581-4014.

Positions Available

The qualifications within the listings below are greatly abbreviated. In order to assess your background relative to the job and to submit the most effective application, contact the hiring department for more complete information.

To appear in the Maine Perspective, advertisements must be submitted to the Office of Equal Opportunity, 318 Alumni Hall, no later than noon on Wednesday. Guidelines for filling professional positions are available by contacting the Office of Equal Opportunity, x1226. A Request to Fill form must be approved before posting in Maine Perspective.

Research Associate, Department of Forest Management. Three-quarter time, one-year, fixed-length position. Qualifications: BS in computer science or electrical engineering, including coursework in computer graphics and instrumentation interfacing. Knowledge of C and/or C++ programming language is required. Salary Range: \$17,000-\$18,500. Deadline for Applications: 9/30/94. Contact: Stephen Shaler, Search Committee Chair, Department of Forest Management, University of Maine, 5755 Nutting Hall, Orono, ME 04469-5755.

Counselor I or II, Maine Educational Opportunity Center. Fiscal-year appointment, contingent on continued funding. Qualifications: Bachelor's degree required, master's preferred, in counseling, education, social work or related area; demonstrated successful experience working with people from disadvantaged backgrounds in a setting similar to the Maine Educational Opportunity Center; and ability to travel. Salary Range: \$20,380-\$22,622. Deadline for Applications: 10/4/94. Contact: Search Committee, Maine Educational Opportunity Center, Room 314, 5713 Chadbourne Hall, Orono, ME 04469-5713.

Clinical Laboratory Manager, Student Health and Prevention Services, Cutler Health Center. Full-time, regular, 10-month professional position. Qualifications: MT (ASCP) and BS in medical technology. Demonstrated successful clinical lab experience. Must enjoy working with college students and clinical personnel. Salary Range: \$22,000-\$24,000. Deadline for Application: 9/30/94. Contact: Ency Whitehill, University of Maine, Room 129, 5721 Cutler Health Center, Orono, ME 04469-5721.

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There are two openings on the EAP Advisory Council, one classified representative and one faculty. There are nine monthly meetings (September-May) held at the EAP Office, 126A College Ave. The role of the Advisory Council is to help advise the director on the needs of employees and brainstorm ways to meet those needs such as topics for the EAP Messenger, topics for educational series, etc. Confidential information is never shared with the Advisory Council. Call Eileen Fox, Chair, at 581-4066 if you are interested. If you have expressed an interest in the past it is necessary to resubmit your name. Preference will be made for resubmittals.

HIV Software *continued from page 2*

The CACTI program is also designed to assist behavioral scientists in their research. The question sets can be modified and reordered. The data is stored in dBase III compatible files. The information can then be evaluated by the statistical program most familiar to the researcher. People do not have to answer every question because the path through question sets is determined by the previous answers. Thus some paths will skip questions and other paths explore the reported behaviors to great detail. Branching to questions is controlled by the researcher. It is possible, as part of the study design, to randomly assign question sets and multimedia clips to persons who meet special criteria. The program was written for Windows by Jackson and Steven Bennet, a graduate student in computer science.

Publicly funded HIV antibody counseling and testing services were initiated in March 1985. Since that time, public awareness about HIV infection has increased, and the reliability and predictive value of the HIV test have been proven. Investigations have demonstrated the benefit of early antiviral and prophylactic treatment. However, there are increasing numbers of persons seeking HIV antibody testing and counseling. At the same time, financial resources for HIV counseling and other interventions are in very short supply. All persons seeking HIV antibody testing at a facility, which receives federal funds for HIV counseling and testing, must not be denied the service because of that person's inability to pay.

Goals of the CACTI project are to effectively identify persons, from among those seeking testing, who would best benefit from individual counseling sessions; apply researched-based criteria in the assessment of behaviors; and improve consistency and cost-effectiveness of the behavioral interventions. ▲

Economic Forum *continued from page 2*

"This conference represents a unique opportunity for consensus building, rather than adversarial debate, among state leaders — it brings together the state's best policy experts with those who are writing legislation, meeting payrolls, and providing economic development services," Ballard says.

Plans call for presentations and discussions on such subjects as the current state of the Maine economy, the latest ways to measure and understand economic performance, an examination of methods of marketing the state's strengths, an opportunity to explore the role of advanced telecommunications in economic development, and possibilities related to world trade.

"Attendees will have an opportunity to receive the most current information on economic development from the state's best policy experts in both the private and public sectors," Ballard says. "The focused sessions in the afternoon will provide in-depth discussions of key issues and opportunities for Maine. Participants will have a unique opportunity to interact with leaders in the areas to be addressed."

The Governor's Economic Development Conference was initiated by retired University President Arthur Johnson in 1973. Ballard believes that it's appropriate that UMaine play a prominent role in this effort as part of its mission to serve as the state's center of learning, discovery and service to the public.

"The role of the University in conference design, as well as providing a neutral, positive setting for dialogue, represents a valuable contribution to the development of public policy in Maine," he says.

Registration information is available by calling Tammie Breen at the Margaret Chase Smith Center for Public Policy, 581-1646. ▲

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Members of the committee, chaired by Passman, are: Kathryn Olmstead, associate professor of journalism; Ann Schonberger, Women in the Curriculum director; Leslie Flemming, College of Arts & Humanities dean; Virginia Gibson, College of Business Administration associate dean; Stephen Reiling, chair of the Department of Resource Economics and Policy; Dwight Rideout, assistant vice president and dean of Student Services; Lucille Zeph, Center for Community Inclusion director; John Rebar, Cooperative Extension educator; Stylianos Tavantzis, professor of plant pathology; Andrea Hawkes, president of the Association of Graduate Students; Bob L'Heureux, president of Student Government; Blane Shaw, administrative assistant, NCGIA; Kim Johnston, associate director of Admissions; and Lynn Coutts, Athletics Department. ▲

Class Book *continued from page 1*

"Our hope is that this class book is controversial enough that people will really talk about it," said John Alexander, who last year chaired Faculty Senate's Academic Affairs Committee, which is responsible for selecting the class book. "Some of us on the Committee didn't think that had happened enough with the other class books. We want to hear students arguing in the Bear's Den about issues raised by the class book."

Upwards of 1,000 members of the University community, including first-year students taking English composition, are expected to be reading *The Disuniting of America* by two-time Pulitzer Prize winning historian Arthur Schlesinger Jr. This is the third class book in a four-year pilot project for the University to determine the merits of selecting a required work to be read by most first-year students, as well as other members of the University community.

The goal of the class book project is to have a common reading base from which students and faculty can engage in discussions from any number of perspectives and across academic disciplines. The class books of the past two years — *Hen's Teeth and Horse's Toes* by Stephen Jay Gould and *Lying* by Sissela Bok — also set the stage for panel discussions, lectures and events throughout the academic years.

"This is the most controversial and will be much more hotly discussed than any of the class books to date," said Harvey Kail, chairperson of the English Department. "It raises issues of identity for both students and faculty. It fathoms what it means to be an American, and touches educational issues, including what education is about in our society. The ethical issues raised in the book will strike a chord."

"Because this class book does touch on sensitive issues, it's important that people read the book carefully in order to have informed conversations about it," said Kail. "It also calls for perhaps a broader conceptualization of the book."

Last spring, the Academic Affairs Committee received the largest number of nominations for class book in the three-year history of the project. The ever-increasing number of nominations is testimony to the growing relevance of a class book not only as part of first-year students' studies but in the literary base of the campus community.

"Everybody is encouraged that interest is growing in the class book," said Alexander. "Many excellent books were nominated. With this choice, we got something timely and controversial." ▲



German Academic Exchange Service awards grants to American faculty in all fields for research visits of one to three months in Germany. Awards include a monthly stipend and costs of travel within the country. Deadline: Nov. 1.

U.S. Department of Education supports research and demonstration to strengthen and improve undergraduate education in international studies and foreign languages. Demonstration projects require cost-sharing. Deadline: Nov. 4.

National Science Foundation's Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Program makes matching grants to develop new or improved undergraduate laboratory instruction in science, mathematics, and engineering. Range of awards: \$30,000–\$200,000 per year for up to three years. Deadline: Nov. 14.

Rockefeller Foundation Humanities Fellowships support scholars and writers in residence at 26 host institutions engaged in research on transnational social and cultural issues, non-Western cultures, and the diverse cultural heritage of the United States. Several of the host sites for 1995-96 Fellowships are in Latin America. Deadlines vary; the earliest is Nov. 15.

National Academy of Sciences/National Research Council make grants to American scientists and engineers to host or visit collaborators and colleagues in Central European and Eurasian

countries for periods of one to six months. Deadline: Dec. 9.

Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education supports projects that encourage students to participate in community service activities. Range of awards: \$25,000–\$75,000 per year for up to three years. Deadline: Dec. 20.

National Academy of Education's Spencer Post-Doctoral Fellowships promote scholarship relevant to the improvement of education in all its forms. Awards support one year of full-time or two years of half-time research. Eligible applicants received a doctoral degree in education, the humanities, or the social or behavioral sciences not earlier than 1989. Deadline: Dec. 22.

Population Council's Fellowships in the Social Sciences support postdoctoral and mid-career advanced training in population studies applicable to the developing world. Proposals for population studies in combination with another social science discipline are also eligible. Deadline: Jan. 1.

For more information, call Research & Sponsored Programs, x1476.

FALL GROUPS AT CUTLER

General Therapy — Doug Johnson

Traditional and non-traditional student groups will explore a variety of issues including, but not limited to, relationships, families, school, and identity.

Food As Symbol — April Colburn

For students engaging in or concerned about bulimic behaviors — the binge/purge cycle — who wish to change this entanglement of food with emotions.

Incest/Sexual Abuse Survivors — Maxene Doty and Lenore Tipping
Designed to strengthen bonds with others from similar pasts, as well as to focus on stages of healing unique to women with this common history.

Surviving Rape Support Group — Sandy Sarro and Cynthia Senchuk
For women who have survived rape by acquaintance or stranger. An expressive, confidential group for joining with other survivors, exploring the after-effects, supporting each other's healing.

Men's Discussion Group — Doug Johnson and John DeMonaco
An opportunity for male students to discuss the challenges of being male on today's college campus and society in general. A semi-structured group that may include themes of intimacy and relationships, career and family, competition and affiliations.

Adult Children of Divorce — Maxene Doty and John DeMonaco
For students whose history includes the divorce of parents, an opportunity to explore the personal impact, while offering and receiving the support of others with similar experiences.

Women's Group — Sandy Sarro
An opportunity for women to discuss issues that concern them (us) as a group: relationships, academic obstacles, and conflict surrounding career and family, and anything else important to the group.

Adult Children of Alcoholics — Rick Kochis and Barbara Bragg
For students who would like to explore how the use of alcohol and other drugs in their family affects their ability to manage current life issues.

If you are a person with a disability and will need any accommodations to participate in this program, call the Counseling Center, 581-1392, or TDD 581-6126 to discuss your needs.

Call 581-4020 for further information and to schedule an interview to be conducted Monday, September 26.

Deadline for Proposals

The next deadline to submit proposals to the Cultural Affairs/Distinguished Lecture Series Committee is Sept. 30. This is the first of three deadlines for proposals this academic year; the next proposal deadline is Dec. 2. For more information or to submit proposals, contact: Tom Mikotowicz, Chair, Cultural Affairs/Distinguished Lecture Series Committee, Alumni Hall.

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